

Commerce Still Leads

Another Record Day

**363 PINTS
PUSHES TOTAL
TO 702**

Yesterday's collection of 363 pints of blood brings to 702 the total number of donations received by the Blood Clinic after two day's operation.

The clinic is expected to bring in even larger figures during the rest of the week, when entire years of the smaller faculties, such as Law and Dentistry, are scheduled to donate.

On lower campus, percentages and totals break up into:

School of Commerce:	
99 pints	22%
Faculty of Engineering:	
269 pints	19%
Faculty of Arts & Science:	
234 pints	17%

Other faculties include Physiotherapy and Physical Education - 32; Medicine - 23; Graduate Studies - 11; Staff - 10; Divinity - 10; Graduate Nurses - 7; Law - 5; Education - 3; Music - 2; Dentistry - 1; Social Work - 1; Fine Arts - 0.

Race On

In the race between residences: at RVC the east wing with 18 leads the west and main wings by three; Wilson Hall and Douglas Hall are still tied, each residence totalling 17.

So far 215 donations have been received from men's fraternities. Phi Epsilon Pi, with 33, are leading the race; Sigma Chi is next with 26; Phi G's are third with 21.

Out of a total of 31 pints donated from the women's fraternities, the A.G.'s are ahead with nine, Gamma Phi Beta comes second with six, and the D.G.'s run a close third with five.

Yesterday's "Lucky minute" winner was Miss Patty Mowat who claimed her prize, a stuffed monkey, at 11:18 a.m.

Handicapped

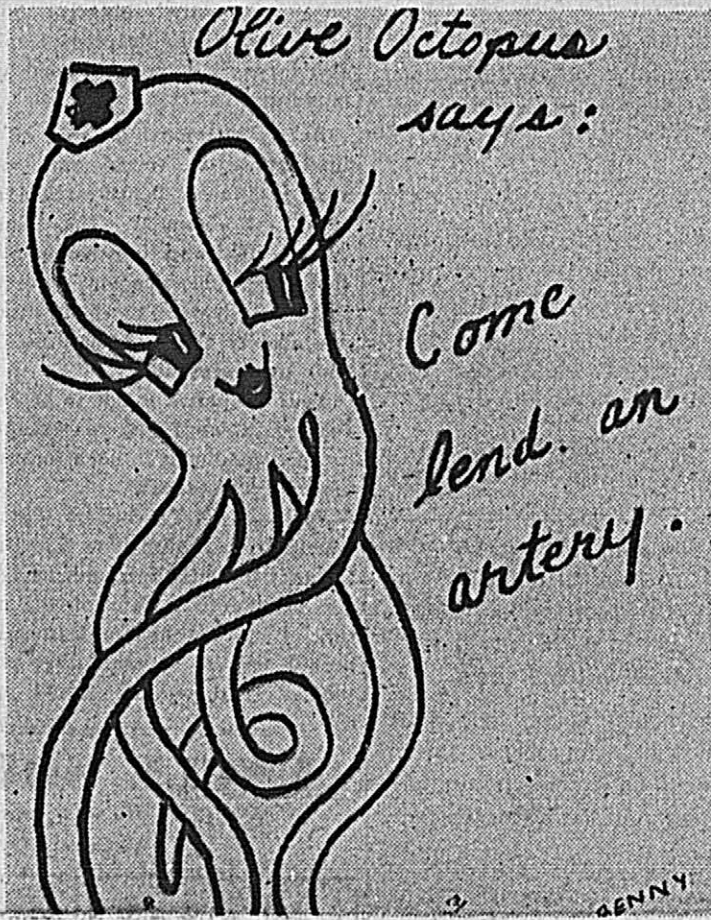
University of Montreal's Student's Council has decreed that we be put under a handicap to compensate for our larger student body. They decided on a 1 per cent handicap for every 125 students over their total enrollment.

FRESHETTES ATTACKED

A small group of members of the A.S.U.S., grabbed two Freshettes yesterday at 12 noon in front of the Arts Building and dragged them into the bushes.

Forming a tight circle, they shielded them from the prying eyes of the onlookers, and proceeded to throw articles of feminine apparel into the air. Their efforts were accompanied by drum rolls and cries of anguish. Finally the girls were carried off, wrapped in protecting sheets, while some of the attackers held a quart of "blood", and urged all to support the blood clinic's drive.

Olive Octopus Says:



This means that McGill would collect 2470 pints in comparison to U of M's 2119 in order to win the Birk's Trophy.

Impartial

However, they have allowed that if we reach a total of more than 2300 an impartial arbitrator will be called in to decide to whom the

Trophy should go.

The Blood Committee wishes to announce that students who wish to donate, but fear the procedure would take too much time, would be well-advised to give their blood between the hours of 9 to 10 am and 4 to 5 pm, as these are the slower times during the day.

PROFESSOR BLACKMUR TO DISCUSS WRITERS

Professor R. P. Blackmur, American poet and critic, has been invited to speak on October 28, at 8:30 pm, in Moyse Hall. His topic, "The Literary Explosion of the Twenties", will deal with the emergence of Eliot, Joyce, Pound, Proust, and Thomas Mann in or about 1922.

Poet And Critic

Professor Blackmur was born in 1904 in Springfield, Mass. At first a free lance poet and critic, he became a member of Princeton University's Institute of Advanced Study in 1944-45. He is a Fellow of the Library of Congress in American Letters and a member of the American Association of University Professors.

Extensive Writings

Financed through grants from the Guggenheim Foundation in 1937-38, he wrote an extensive work on Henry Adams. He has discussed the writing of T. E. Lawrence, D. H. Lawrence, E. E. Cummings, Ezra Pound, Hart Crane, Marianne Moore, and Yvon Winters.

Mr. Blackmur also wrote an

introduction to the critical prefaces written by Henry James for the New York edition of "James' Novels."

The Professor's volume of poems "From Jordan's Delight" struck William Rose Benet as showing an "undeniable distinction to his mind."

COTC TO HOLD FRESHMAN RECEPTION

First and second year students in all faculties are invited to a welcome party given by the McGill Contingent of the Canadian Officers' Training Corps, at 8:30 pm, on Friday, Oct. 28th, at the Officers' Mess, in the Sir Arthur Currie Memorial Gymnasium Armoury. The purpose of the affair is to explain the aims and opportunities of the C.O.T.C.

The guest speaker, Lieutenant-Colonel J. A. Dextraze, DSO, OBE, will give a short address. Colonel Dextraze has had one of the most outstanding military

Four Plan Coup Of Province

If there were a dictatorship in the province of Quebec, who would make the best dictator? This problem claimed the attention of four noted professors at the Raft Debate which took place last night at the Union. Representing the faculties of Commerce, Law, Arts, and Science were Professors Byrd, Cohen, Launay and Stanley respectively.

Introducing the speakers, Avrum Cohen, President of the Students' Society, said that no decision was to be reached at the end of the debate out of respect to the participants. Normally, three would drown, or the winner would be allowed to do with the others as he saw fit.

Speaking first, Prof. Byrd of the School of Commerce said that he would deviate from the normal pattern of attacking the question. He chose not to display his own qualifications, but rather to support one of the other "candidates".

Explaining himself, he stated that Commerce does not give one a chance to learn to be a dictator. "We haven't even got stenographers to whom we can dictate properly."

Rolls Royce

Naming his choice for dictator, Prof. Byrd said, "The best dictator of the four of us would be Prof. Stanley... he has a Rolls Royce."

"Ladies, gentlemen, and fellow prisoners," said Prof. Cohen, "... I was a second or third choice, and consented to take part in view of the major issues involved." Prof. Cohen first attacked the problem of which discipline would lend itself best to the running of the province: Stanley, "working around in his cells... is concerned with these little things... such as living or dying," while Launay comes from a country which is "notoriously indifferent to dictation... and where the best kind of government is no government at all."

In a dictatorship, he went on to say, "no one shall have more than the other... and all shall have less than the dictator". Prof. Cohen advocated the changing of the words "democracy" and "dictatorship" so that both would have the same meaning. Thus utter confusion would result, and one living under a dictatorship would think he was in a democracy, because to him, the two words would mean the same thing.

In reference to Prof. Byrd and Commerce, Prof. Cohen spoke of the accountant's mind searching for the balance of things... "and dictatorship is an unbalanced thing".

Summing up his argument, Prof. Cohen said, "We alone are fit to rule. I only hope my col-

leagues will have sense enough to obey."

Qualifications

Speaking for the Faculty of Arts, Prof. Launay listed a number of qualifications for the profession of dictatorship. The personal and psychological needs of a dictator include pride, ambition, cruelty, intolerance, hypocrisy, ignorance. To round out his qualities, a dictator must be a good public speaker. "Balconies are essential."

A Scientist, according to Prof. Stanley, would be the best qualified for assuming the role of dictator. "You can't have any trouble if people think the way you do. You have to bang people over the head", and Science, he said, can best teach this. Those whose heads are too large for banging must be brainwashed, and this would necessitate the setting up of "brain laundries", the soap for which could only be made by a Scientist.

Womenfolk

A dictator must, if he is to achieve success, get on the good side of the womenfolk. A Scientist, having more money, is best equipped to do this. Unlike the Artsman, he doesn't spend his spare time "writing sonnets", or like the Law student, "trying to fix traffic fines". His extra time is spent in something more rewarding, like "working in the mines, or on a dance floor."

In reply to Prof. Byrd's comment about his car, Stanley retorted, "It's paid for, and it goes."

Avrum Cohen expressed his thanks to the four participants for "the delightful evening they have given us".

Novice Trials Held In Union

The McGill Union Clubroom was the scene of this year's Novice Debating Trials from 4 to 6 pm yesterday afternoon. Fourteen students, who had no previous experience in intercollegiate debating, took sides on the following topics:— Resolved; a) that the accomplishments of the United Nations do not justify its continued existence; b) that all good things come from Quebec; and c) that one cannot find without seeking.

Adjudged winner of the trials was Mr. Jim Lotz who upheld the negative of the third topic. Mr. Lotz was the only spaker to debate this point of view and did so in humorous vein.

In addition, honourable mentions were given to Geraldine Ostroff, the only female contestant, Neville Linton, and Wilson Southam.

Miss Ostroff, winner of the Bovey Shield contest of last week, supported the resolution that one (Continued on Page 4)

Women's Sports

by Lorraine Brender

The M.W.S.A.A. will hold their semi-annual meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 1, at 4 pm in the Women's Lounge in R.V.C. The last official function sponsored by the M.W.S.A.A. was the successful Athletics Preview greeted by over five hundred girls. President Patty Mowatt termed this interest very encouraging and expressed her hope to see the girls once again at this afternoon tea.

The business of the meeting will be the presentation of last year's awards which were withheld from first year students who are now enrolled in their second year. Also, this vitally important issue is to be discussed, and voted upon by the students: a female student may play on only one intercollegiate team per term. The question at large is: should an amendment be made so that one may play on two intercollegiate teams in the first term and one in the second? This provision will enable a girl to play on either the tennis or archery team and also the swimming team. Many people believe that the first term should be divided in this manner since tennis and archery are completed in the early fall and do not coincide with the swimming practices, unlike the second term activities which fall together. The M.W.S.A.A. urges all girls to come to this meeting to voice their opinions since this is an important question which concerns the entire student body.

The first volleyball meeting will take place this evening at 7:30 (please note time correction). Anyone who cannot attend, but would like to play, should contact Bev Smith, or the writer, or sign the list on the R.V.C. notice board. In order to be eligible for the Intercollegiate team you must play intramural first. This year the team will play their tournament with the other universities at McMaster, and will also have various exhibition games with MacDonald College, Y.W.H.A., International Y, and Strathcona Academy.

For those who prefer a racket game to volleyball, on the same evening, Wednesday, from 7-9 pm, squash activity will commence in the Currie gym. Henry Lafleur is the coach this year and Myrne Harris the manager. As intramural representative, Ann McNally will be on hand to assist all newcomers. All playing equipment is provided. Intramural tournaments will be held and arrangements are being made to compete with other squash clubs in the city.

Swimming practices are under way, with coaching in diving and synchronized swimming available on Tuesday nights and speed swimming on Wednesday night. Besides this, the pool is open to girls every day from 5-6:30 pm. Sheila Roy, Manager, is available for additional information.

Three very important soccer practices will be held on Wednesday, 2-4 pm; Thursday, 4-5:30 pm; Saturday, 9-11 am. The time of the McGill-Mac game is 2:30 on Saturday.

SOCCER TEAM PLAY PLATTSBURG TODAY

Plattsburg State Teacher's College soccer team will be the guests of the Seniors on the Upper Field at 2:00 p.m. today. This game is an annual one held once a year at McGill and the next year at P.T.S.C.

Coach Wilkinson stated that: "in the few years the team has been very successful. It has lost only one game, last year's by a score of 3-1. The team has never lost any home games in this series."

For this very important game, coach Wilkinson is bringing up Intermediates Ivan Smith to play on the forward line and Arnie Lidsky to play in the goals. The Senior's regular goaler, Opphews

Vosniodes will also play on the forward line. The rest of the lineup is as follows: Dickson, Berkley, Weber, Muller, Kifle-bre, Seco, Talma, Eaton, Moore, Carpenter, Fitawake and Abraham.

DAILY STAFF

There will be a meeting in the Daily Office at 1:00 p.m. TODAY for ALL Daily Sports staff and for those who, having taken the Daily training program, desire to work for the Sports Department. BE SURE TO ATTEND.

INTRAMURAL SPORTS

TOUCH FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Wednesday, October 26th - 1:00 pm
Stadium — Lakeshore vs. Commerce. Upper Field — Rats vs. Apes.

Thursday, October 27th - 1:00 pm
Stadium — Bums vs. Engineering. Upper Field — Termites vs. Rams. Lower Campus — Med. 2'A' vs. Architecture.

FASTBALL LEAGUE

Wednesday, October 26th - 1:00 pm
West Gym — Med. 1 vs. Med. 4.

BASKETBALL NOTICE

Manager needed for Intermediate Basketball team. Anyone interested see Mr. Anderson in Room 1, at the Gymnasium.

Thursday, October 27th - 1:00 pm
West Gym — Big 9 vs. Commerce.

GYMNASTICS

All students interested in Gymnastics are cordially invited to attend the first class today at 5:00 p.m. in the Gymnasium.

INTRAMURAL SQUASH

The Intramural Squash Draw Sheet is now posted on the Squash Bulletin Board. All first round matches must be played by November 3rd. Please check draw sheet for your opponent and telephone number.

FENCING

Fencing will be on Thursday and Monday, at 7:30 p.m., as per usual.

RON MURPHY DOUBTFUL STARTER FOR MUSTANG GAME

The news out of the Redmen camp yesterday was not too encouraging for McGill supporters. Ron Murphy, who was injured late in Saturday's triumph over Toronto, is a doubtful starter for next week's clash with Western.

Coach Larry Sullivan has not yet lost all hope that Murphy will play against the Mustangs. Contrary to reports circulating in city newspapers, Murphy's leg has not been placed in a cast. Although his injury was supposed to have sidelined him for the rest of the year, Murphy has been bending his injured knee without pain. The doctors expect to be able to tell today whether Murphy's leg will respond to treatment or whether it must be placed in a cast.

Murphy's absence would be a setback to the McGill team but coach Sullivan stated that he would be making plans to fill Murphy's spot on the team. The stalwart from Hamilton has been outstanding for the Redmen at left corner linebacker on defence and at centre and tackle on offence. He is a vicious blocker and tackler and has impressed observers in all games this year as one of the outstanding linemen in the league.

Sullivan announced that he would try John Cronin at Murphy's linebacker position. Cronin, who recently recovered from an injury himself, will also get a chance to carry the ball more often than he did against Toronto. Since the Redmen running attack could only pick up 170 yards rushing in two games against Toronto, Sullivan decided

to switch the hard-running Cronin from flying wing in an effort to add some punch to his ground attack.

The Western game will be an important one for the Redmen. If they are to keep their playoff hopes alive, McGill must win their two remaining games. Johnny Metras' Mustangs are fighting to stay out of the cellar, a position which they have avoided for the past decade or so. In their last meeting with Queens, Western scored 17 points, which was the highest total scored against the Gaels this year and was twice as many points as the Mustangs have scored all year. Metras finally has his crew in fighting shape and Sullivan expected a tough fight from them next Saturday.

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Tickets on sale at the McGill Union Ticket Booth from noon to 2 p.m. on the following dates:

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25th
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26th

It will be impossible to secure tickets after 2 p.m. on October 26th.

R. A. SHACKELL,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Students' Society

S.C.M. ANNOUNCES SERIES OF FRIDAY DISCUSSIONS

The Student Christian Movement in McGill has announced a new series of FRIDAY NIGHTS at the S. C. M. House designed to encourage discussion on a wide variety of topics of general interest.

First in this series will be POLITICAL FORUM to be held on Friday November 4th, at 8:00 p.m. in the S.C.M. House, 3625 Oxenden Avenue. Present at the Forum will be the Presidents of the four party political clubs on the cam-

pus, Stanley Nemiroff (C.C.F.), Paddy Nerenberg (L.P.P.), Harvey Crestohl (Liberal) and Roy Heenan (Progressive Conservative). Each speaker will have ten minutes in which to make a statement of the aims of his Club and the meeting will then be open to questions from those attending.

Other FRIDAY NIGHTS planned include a joint discussion with the Eastern Orthodox Society of McGill on the relations between Church and State, and a dialogue between two prominent members of the faculty entitled "IS GOD A CHRISTIAN"? These meetings are open to all McGill Students.

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ATTENTION ALL DAILY STAFFERS!

There will be a Daily party this Friday evening at 8 p.m. in the Union grillroom. All Daily staffers are invited.

There will be a meeting of the Features department tomorrow at 1:00 p.m. in the office of the Daily. All freshmen who wish to work for Features are asked to attend (cartoonists are especially welcome).

CORRECTION

Cambridge, (Mass.)—CUP—EXTRA DATES SET FOR GRAD COURSES.

Announcement for all students intending to attend graduate schools, law schools in the United States:

November 12: Date of Law Aptitudes Examination.

November 19: Date for Graduate Records Examination (nearest centre: University of Vermont).

For further information see the Registrar's Office.

NOVICE TRIALS . . .

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cannot find without seeking. She argues that people of all ages achieve their desires by seeking.

Neville Linton claimed that the United Nations, as it exists, does not justify its own existence.

Wilson Southan, a Westerner, upheld the negative of the second resolution.

In the opinion of the chairman of the event, Joe Nuss, "The calibre of novice debating this year is above the standard set last year and all indications point to a very good group of novice debaters. In most cases a little experience will develop the potential qualities".

coming events

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26

CHESS AND CHECKER: A meeting will be held in the Walter Stewart Room in the Union commencing at 7:30 p.m. All present and prospective members are invited to attend.

FRANKLIN SOCIETY: There will be an illustrated talk by Mr. M. Marsden, on "Survey work in Northern Ellesmere Island" in Room 232, of the Physical Science Centre.

STUDENT CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT: The first meeting of the second parallel study group will be held at the S.E.C. House, at 8 p.m. Topic is "Revolution and Reconstruction".

CCF-SOCIAL DEMOCRATS: A meeting will be held at 1 p.m. in the Walter Stewart Room in the Union.

WEST INDIAN SOCIETY: There will be a General Meeting in the Union Ballroom at 8 p.m. Sub committees will be elected, the year's programme reviewed and membership cards distributed.

RED WING SOCIETY: A general meeting will be held at 1:15, in the Women's Union Office in R.V.C.

CANTERBURY CLUB: There will be a lunch discussion group on the 3rd floor of Divinity Hall. Bring your lunch. Tea will be served free of charge.

BIBLE STUDY: Bible study will be held at R.V.C. in the East Wing Lounge at 7:30.

UNITED NATIONS CLUB: Will the Executive and Committee members please attend a meeting at 1:00 p.m., at the Union Boardroom.

HILLEL: First rehearsal of the Hillel Choir has been cancelled.

JAZZ CLUB: The first regular meeting of the newly revived Jazz Club will be held in the Union Club Room on Wednesday, between one and two o'clock at which time there will be a program of recorded jazz. Everyone is welcome.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27

CAMERA CLUB: The second exhibition of cameras and other photographic equipment is to be held in the Union Lounge at 8:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

GERMAN CLUB: There will be a meeting at 8:15 p.m. on the second floor of the Union. Guest speaker is Mr. R. Pennington, McGill University Librarian. He will talk on "Faust, The Devil's Printer", in English. Everyone is welcome.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB: The first tournament of the year will be held at 7:30, in the Union Grillroom.

CCF-SOCIAL DEMOCRATS: A general meeting will be held at 1 p.m. in the Walter Stewart Room in the Union.

Ukrainian Chorus To Hold Recital

The McGill Ukrainian Club has arranged for a special performance of the "Ukrainian Bandurist Chorus" to be held on Saturday, at 5:30 p.m. The program according to a club release will consist of "the traditional and rousing music of the Ukraine, presented in a different and enjoyable way". To obtain tickets, students are asked to see George at the Union Tuckshop. Tickets, ordinarily \$1.50 and \$2.00, have been reduced to 75c for this occasion only.

GRADUATE PHOTOS

All graduating students in Arts have until FRIDAY to have their pictures taken for the Annual. Don't forget.

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